

Regular Session, 2012

HOUSE BILL NO. 177

BY REPRESENTATIVE ANDERS

AGRICULTURE: Provides for a tonnage fee for agricultural liming materials

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 3:1430.12(C), relative to agricultural liming materials, to provide  
3 for tonnage fees; and to provide for related matters.

4 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

5 Section 1. R.S. 3:1430.12(C) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

6 §1430.12. Fees

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8 C. Each manufacturer of agricultural liming materials which are sold, offered  
9 for sale, or distributed in this state shall pay to the commission a fee of ten cents on  
10 each ton of materials delivered in this state. The fee imposed by this Subsection  
11 shall be paid quarterly at the same time the tonnage reports required by R.S. 3:1430.7  
12 are submitted to the commissioner; however, the minimum fee due for each quarter  
13 shall be ten dollars.

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# DIGEST

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**Abstract:** Provides for a minimum tonnage fee by manufacturers of agricultural liming materials that are sold, offered for sale, or distributed in this state.

Present law provides for certain fees for registering agricultural liming materials, late fees other than initial registration, and quarterly tonnage reports and fees.

Proposed law clarifies that the minimum quarterly tonnage fee shall be \$10. Otherwise retains present law.

(Amends R.S. 3:1430.12(C))